

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:
Stanley et al.

Serial No.:
10/073,098

Filed:
February 12, 2002

For:
**System and Method for Improved Data
Transmission Speed by Fixing the
Lower Corner Frequency at a
Frequency above Voice Band in a
Symmetric DSL Transmission System**

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| Group Art Unit:
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| Examiner:
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| 061607-1700

FIRST RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendment and remarks contained herein non-final Office Action mailed on July 28, 2006. Applicants respectfully submit that the amendment and remarks contained herein place the instant application in condition for allowance.

AUTHORIZATION TO DEBIT ACCOUNT

It is not believed that additional fees are required, beyond those which may otherwise be provided for in the documents accompanying this paper. However, in the event that additional fees are necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such extensions are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), and any fees required (including fees for net additions of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to 20-0078.